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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
9 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
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11 WILLIAM LAIL,) Case No.: 1:20-cv-1349 JLT
12 Plaintiff,)
13 v.) ORDER AWARDING ATTORNEY'S FEES AND
14 KILOLO KIJAKAZI¹,) EXPENSES PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d)
15 Acting Commissioner of Social Security,) (Doc. 25)
16 Defendant.)

17 On December 22, 2021, William Lail and Kilolo Kijakazi, Acting Commissioner of Social
18 Security, stipulated for the award and payment of attorney's fees and expenses in the amount of
19 \$7,500.00 pursuant to the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d). (Doc. 25) Accordingly,
20 the Court **ORDERS:** Subject to the terms of the parties' stipulation, Plaintiff is **AWARDED** fees and
21 expenses in the amount of \$7,500.00 under 28 U.S.C. § 2412(d).
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23 IT IS SO ORDERED.

24 Dated: **December 22, 2021**

/s/ Jennifer L. Thurston
25 CHIEF UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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28 ¹ This action was originally filed against Andrew Saul in his capacity as the Commissioner of Social Security. (See Doc. 1 at 1.) The Court has substituted Kilolo Kijakazi, who has since been appointed the Acting Commissioner of Social Security, as the defendant. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 25(d).